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WE are authorized to announce Wm. S. Bailey, as a candidate for Representative for Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Hon. Thomas Shackelford, as a candidate for Representative for Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce O. F. Pack, as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce Thomas H. Gillespie, as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce Wm. R. Bailey, as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce Wm. Montgomery, as a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce John A. Henry, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Samuel Hamilton, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce S. D. Livingston, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce James A. Pugh, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Marcus T. Taylor, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce T. J. Smith, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Virgil A. Stewart, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Col. Joseph H. Vannoy, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce R. M. Cox, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Capt. Wm. Gittler, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Capt. E. B. Meredith, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce Col. Wm. F. Jones, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

WE are authorized to announce T. C. C. Shackelford, as a candidate for Sheriff of Madison county.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.
October Term 1838.

G. W. Henderson, agent &c.
vs
Chas. A. Ely.

ON this 30th day of October 1838, came the said plaintiff, and the attachment being returned duly executed, and the defendant failing to appear and give special bail and plead herein. It is ordered by the court, that unless said defendant does appear here on or before the first day of the next term of this court and give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold. It is further ordered that a copy of this order together with a specification of the cause of action and amount due from defendant to plaintiff, be published in the Madison Whig Advocate for four weeks successively, and that all further proceedings be stayed herein, until the next term of this court.

A true copy—Attest:
S. D. LIVINGSTON, C. K.

By O. F. Pack, Deputy.

T. J. Moore, P. Q.
March 16, 1839. 10-12

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.
October Term, 1838.

Robt. Shortwell, vs
B. M. Cloyton.

ON this 30th day of October 1838, came the plaintiff by his attorney and the attachment in this case being returned duly executed, and the defendant failing to appear and give special bail and plead herein. It is ordered by the court, that unless said defendant does appear here on or before the first day of the next term of this court, and give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold. It is further ordered that a copy of this order together with a specification of the cause of action, and amount due from defendant to plaintiff, be published in the Madison Whig Advocate, for four weeks successively, and that all further proceedings be stayed herein until the next term of this court.

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March 16, 1839. 10-13

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.
October Term, 1838.

John S. Gooch, vs
Jas. M. Norment.

ON this 30th day of October 1838, came the said plaintiff, by his attorney, and the attachment in this case being returned duly executed, and the defendant failing to appear and give special bail, and plead herein. It is ordered by the court, that unless said defendant does appear here on or before the first day of the next term of this court, and give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold. It is further ordered that a copy of this order, together with a specification of the cause of action, and amount due from defendant to plaintiff, be published in the Madison Whig Advocate for four weeks successively, and that all further proceedings be stayed herein until the next term of this court.

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THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT.
October Term, 1838.

R. M. Williamson, vs
James M. Dunn.

ON this 30th day of October 1838, came the said plaintiff, by his attorney, and the attachment in this case being returned duly executed, and the defendant failing to appear and give bail and plead herein. It is ordered by the court, that unless said defendant does appear here on or before the first day of the next term of this court and give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold. It is further ordered that a copy of this order, together with a specification of the cause of action, and amount due from defendant to plaintiff, be published in the Madison Whig Advocate for four weeks successively, and that all further proceedings be stayed herein until the next term of this court.

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By O. F. Pack, Deputy.

Or & Bailey, P. Q.
March 16, 1839. 10-13

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY.
In the circuit court of said county, to April term, 1839.

Caruthers & Griffin, vs
William J. Young.

THE Attachment in this case having been returned by the Sheriff, to the Clerk's office of said county, duly executed, notice is hereby given that unless the said defendant do appear here on or before the next term of this court, give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold.

A true copy—Attest:
S. D. LIVINGSTON, C. K.

By O. F. Pack, Deputy.

Topper & Rollins, P. Q.
March 16, 1839. 10-13

NOTICE.

ALL persons who owe the Brandon Bank, are requested to make the following arrangements as promptly as possible. Upon the payment of one half in money, or by the delivery of Cotton for that amount, they can execute a Note for the balance payable one year after date. And all who pay one third of their debt can renew for six months, by giving satisfactory security. An arrangement of this kind will include executions in favor of the Bank, and so soon as they are made defendants in executions will be released. The undersigned will be in Canton, on the first and second Monday in every month, and several days thereafter for the purpose of making these arrangements. And will be found at Slaughter's Tavern.

JAMES A. KING,
Agent for Bank.

February 23, 1839. 7-17

CANTON SPRING RACES.

THE spring meeting of 1839, over the Canton course, will commence on the third Monday in April next, and continue six days.

1st Day—Sweepstakes for 3 year olds, mile heats—subscription \$100, play of 100, 7 subscribers and closed.

2nd Day—Jockey Club purse \$200, entrance \$20—to be added—mile heats.

3rd Day—Jockey Club purse \$200, entrance \$30—to be added—two mile heats.

4th Day—Jockey Club purse \$500, entrance \$50, 3 mile heats.

5th Day—Post-stakes one mile out—entrance \$100.

6th Day—Proprietors purse \$200, entrance \$20, best 3 in five—mile heats, 2 or more to make a race.

The proprietors of the course have pledged themselves to the Club, to have every thing in good order, several new stables are now going up on the premises, and sportsmen from a distance, may feel assured that they will get enough accommodations.

N. F. SMITH, Secretary.

February 23, 1839. 7-14

The Columbus Argus, Vicksburg Whig and Grand Gulf Whig, will give the above four weekly insertions, and send notices to this office.

J. BURCKITT & CO.

Forwarding & Commission Merchants,
Levee Street, Vicksburg.

J. BURCKITT.

Refer to—
COL. J. E. RICHARDSON, Vicksburg.
P. B. BEALING, do.
J. R. McAL, do.
MOTZ & HENDERSON, Canton.
PORT & WARE, do.
SEARLES & VANDERHURST, do.
COL. J. S. GOOCH, do.
HOBSON & GOOCH, do.
February 9. 5-30

THE CELEBRATED JACK, DOY QUINOTTE.

THE subscriber being desirous, and seeing the necessity of raising our own stock, has taken great pains in selecting one of the finest imported Jacks that could be obtained from Europe. He is a beautiful white, near fourteen hands high, possessing fine bone and sinew. He will stand the ensuing season at the subscribers five miles south-east of Canton, and will be let to mares at the following prices—Ten dollars the single visit, to be paid on rendering service, fifteen dollars if paid within the season, or seventeen and a half without, and twenty dollars insurance in all cases where a mare is put by the insurance and traded off before the expiration of the season, the insurance money will be demanded. All persons living at a distance, and wishing to put mares, can have them kept in a good pasture, or fed on any kind of grain, on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing to raise their own stock would do well to call and examine for themselves, as I consider him the finest animal of his kind in all our country. All care will be taken to prevent accidents, but I will not be responsible for any. Season to commence on the first of March, and end the first of July.

ALEX. H. DINKINS.

March 2, 1839. 8-25

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

BY virtue of an order from the honorable, the Probate Court of Madison county, made at the March term, 1839, we will offer for sale at the Court-house door in the town of Canton,

On Saturday the 11th day of May 1839, The following described parcels of land belonging to the estate of John Stephens, deceased, to-wit: The west half of the north east quarter, and east half of the north east quarter, section thirty six, township twelve, range two, east, on a credit of one and two years the purchaser giving bond with approved security.

JOHN STONE, Jr.

CATHARINE STEPHENS, Administrator.

March 23, 1839. 12-13

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN pursuance of an order from the honorable the Probate Court of Madison county, made at the March term 1839, we will offer at public sale to the highest bidder, at the Court-house door in the town of Canton on Saturday the 11th day of May next, all the real estate of Aaron D. Matheny, deceased, to-wit: East half of south-west quarter and south east quarter section thirty; south-west quarter section twenty-nine, all in township twelve, range three, east, on a credit of one and two years, the purchaser giving bond and approved security.

DANIEL MATHENY.

SARAH M. MATHENY, Administrator.

March 30, 12-18

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

BY virtue of an order of the honorable Probate Court of Madison county, made at the January term 1839, we will offer for sale on the public square in the town of Canton,

On Tuesday the 30th day of April, 1839, The following described parcels of land and town lots, belonging to the estate of Rufus K. Dinkins, deceased, to-wit: The house and lot in Canton known as the Canton Hotel. Also, the following lands lying four miles from Canton, viz: The north half, west half north-east quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; south half, west half north-east quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; north half, west half north-east quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; north half, south-east quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; north half, south-west quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; north half, south-east quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east; north half, south-west quarter section seven, township eight, range three, east.

ALSO,

SEVERAL LIKELY NEGROES, Consisting of m-b, women and children, Horses, Mules, Cows, Hogs, Household and Kitchen Furniture, one Road Wagon and Harness. Terms made known on the day of sale.

V. F. WALKER, Administrator.

ELIZABETH H. DINKINS, Administrator.

March 30, 1839. 12-17

TRUST SALE.

BY virtue of the powers vested in us by a Deed of Trust, made and executed by Sander Sanders to Folks, Walker & Co. bearing date the 2nd day of August, eight hundred and thirty-six, and duly recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Probate Court of Madison county, in Book D. pages 164, 165 and 166, for the purpose of securing the payment of certain sums of money, therein specified, or any balance remaining due and unpaid on account of said deed of trust. Therefore, the undersigned as trustees at the request of the said Folks, Walker & Co., will proceed to sell for cash, on the premises in Madison county, Mississippi,

On Saturday the 27th day of April 1839, The following property, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to satisfy the balance due and unpaid on said deed of trust, together with all expenses thereon, to-wit:—The south half of the north east eighth of section seven, township ten, range four, east; the east half of south-east quarter of same section, township and range; the west half of north-west quarter of section eight, township ten, range four, east; the south-west quarter of section eight, township ten, range four, east, and the north half of the south east eighth of section eight, township ten, range four, east, being all the lands owned by said Sanders in sections seven and eight, township ten, range four, east, containing in all, by estimation, Four Hundred Acres.

ALSO—The following Slave, viz., Issum, Dak, Violet and her two children, Jane, Jack, Mizer, Howell, Jim, Robert, Jesse, Moses and Gordon. The title to the above property is believed to be good, but will convey only such title as is vested in us as Trustees.

W. R. LEWIS, Trustee.

W. HARVEY, Trustee.

March 30, 1839.—12-16—P. fee \$15.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

IN pursuance of an order from the honorable, the Probate Court of Madison county, made at the March term, 1839, I shall offer for sale at the Court-house door in the town of Canton, on Saturday the 11th day of May next, all the real estate belonging to Joseph Harrison, dec'd, to-wit: The east half, south-west quarter section thirty-six, township twelve, range three, east; west half north-east quarter section one, township eleven, range three, east; south half north-west quarter section one, township eleven, range three, east; south half, north-east quarter section one, township eleven, range three, east; west half, south-east quarter section thirty-six, township twelve, range three, east; on a credit of one and two years, the purchaser giving bond and approved security.

BEDE JOHNSON, Adm'r.

March 30. 12-13

TO THE CITIZENS OF VICKSBURG AND THE ADJOINING COUNTIES.

THE books of the Vicksburg Steam Tow and Trade Boat Company will be opened on the 1st April, and remain so for 60 days, for the subscription of one hundred thousand dollars as capital stock of said company, to be divided into shares of two hundred dollars each. Ten percent will be required at the time of subscription. The books of subscription will be opened for that purpose at the counting-rooms of McCutchen and Bradley, William Laughlin and Thomas C. Randolph, under the superintendence of these gentlemen, who will receipt for the amount paid in.

COMMISSIONERS—John Fountain, Wm. Laughlin, Jas. E. Boshyshell, John R. McCall, John C. Ball, B. Davis, P. E. Seitz, Wm. McMurtrie, Saml. Garvin, Thos. J. Scott, C. P. Young, Robert Newell, Jas. McCutchen, W. B. Norcum, M. Emanuel.

[March 25, 12-14]

CITIZENS BANK OF MADISON CO.

Canton, March 7th, 1839.

A meeting of nine directors for the said Institution, will take place on the second Monday in April next, at the Banking House in Canton.

By order of the Board.

TEBAULT, Cash'r.

March 9, 1839. 9-17

BRIGADE ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS,
Canton, March 20, 1839.

THE following gentlemen will compose the Brigade Staff of the 2nd Brigade, 3rd Division, Mississippi Militia.

ABRAHAM A. McWILLIE, of Madison, Brigade Inspector with the rank of Major.

WM. HENRY HEEST, of Vicksburg, Brigade Judge Advocate with the rank of Major.

MILTON PILES, of Yazoo, Brigade Quarter Master with the rank of Captain.

ALBERT G. BENNETT, of Madison, and JAMES PERCY BROWN, of Washington, Aid-de-camp with the rank of Captain. They will be obeyed and respected accordingly.

WILLIAM F. JONES, Brigadier General of the 2nd Brigade, 3rd Division, Mississippi Militia.

March 23, 11-14

BRIGADE ORDERS.

HEAD QUARTERS,
Canton March 16, 1839.

To Lieut. Col. Jos. H. Vannoy, Sir:—You are hereby ordered to appoint managers in all the different precincts of election in this county, to open and hold an election on Saturday the 20th day of April next, for a Colonel to command the 25th Regiment, Mississippi Militia. So soon as you receive the certified returns of the election from the Boards of Managers of the several election precincts of the county, you will proceed immediately to make a consolidated return thereof to the Adjutant General of the State at Jackson.

Wm. F. JONES, Lieut. Gen. 2d Brigade 3d Div. M. M.

March 23, 1839. 11-13

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court of said County, to April term, 1839.

Martin, Bairo & Co., vs
Kennedy & Walker, P. Q.

On Attachment, for \$161 75.

John H. Thomas.

THE Attachment in this case having been returned by the Sheriff, to the Clerk's office of said County, duly executed, notice is hereby given that unless the said defendant do appear here, on or before the next term of this Court give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold.

Attest. S. D. LIVINGSTON, C. K.

By O. F. Pack, Deputy.

March 30, 1839. 12-15

NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned at the March term 1839, of the Probate Court of Madison county, on the estate of Armand Branch, dec'd, all those having claims against said estate are requested to bring them forward, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred; and all those indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

SARAH BRANCH, Adm'r.

ALEX. H. DINKINS, Adm'r.

March 30, 1839. 12-17

NOTICE.

LETTERS of administration having been granted to the undersigned at the March term, 1839, of the Probate Court of Madison county, on the estate of Quenton E. Velt, deceased, all those having claims against said estate are requested to bring them forward, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred; and all those indebted to said estate, will please make immediate payment.

WM. S. RAYNER, Adm'r.

March 30, 1839. 12-17

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

MADISON COUNTY.

In the Circuit Court of said county to April Term 1839.

William Walker, vs
Michael Barrie.

On Attachment for \$200 00

Michael Barrie.

THE Attachment in this case being returned by the Sheriff, to the Clerk's office of said county, duly executed. Notice is hereby given that unless the said defendant do appear here, on or before the next term of this court, give special bail and plead herein, judgment final by default will be rendered against him, and the estate attached be sold.

Test: S. D. LIVINGSTON, C. K.

March 23, 11-14

MARSHAL'S SALE.

Parham & Baker, vs
John J. McCauley and Surities.

BY virtue of the above stated writ of execution, to be directed by the honorable Circuit Court United States for the Southern District of Mississippi, I will expose to public sale, for cash, at the Court-house door in the town of Canton, Madison county, the following described property, to-wit:

A Stock of Goods, Consisting of Colicuts, Linens, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, and Household and Kitchen Furniture, to-wit: One Yoke of Oxen, Horse, and Kitchen Furniture.

Levied on as the property of the defendant, and will be sold to satisfy plaintiff's debt and costs. Sale to take place within the hours prescribed by law.

W. M. GWIN, Marshal.

By J. F. Cox, Deputy.

February 23,